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1. A Notice of Appeal was filed on Appellant' 37 CFR 1.192(a), or any extension thereof (37 CF						
2. $igtimes$ The proposed amendment(s) will not be entered b	ecause:					
(a) X they raise new issues that would require further consideration and/or search (see NOTE below);						
(b) ☐ they raise the issue of new matter (see Note below);						
(c) ☑ they are not deemed to place the application in better form for appeal by materially reducing or simplifying the issues for appeal; and/or						
(d) they present additional claims without cancel	ling a corresponding number of	finally rejected clair	ns.			
NOTE: See Continuation Sheet.						
3. Applicant's reply has overcome the following reject	ction(s):					
4. Newly proposed or amended claim(s) 18 and 20 we amendment canceling the non-allowable claim(s).		a separate, timely	filed			
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The status of the claim(s) is (or will be) as follows:						
Claim(s) allowed:						
Claim(s) objected to: <u>18-20 and 22-29</u> .						
Claim(s) rejected: <u>15-17</u> .						
Claim(s) withdrawn from consideration: <u>21</u> .						
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Continuation Sheet (PTOL-303) 10/021,918.

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Continuation of 2. NOTE: The proposed amendment to the limitiations in claim 15, on line 1 appears to raise new issues, and therefore, would alter the scope of the invention.